

BOB JONES COLLEGE



BACCALAUREATE
SERVICE

SUNDAY, MAY 31, 1942

10:45 A. M.

Margaret Mack Auditorium

PRELUDE—Choral Improvisation on "O God Our Help" . . . *Verrees*

Two Choral Preludes *Bach*

"From Heaven High to Earth I Come"

"We Greet Thee, Gracious Jesus"

PROCESSIONAL HYMN—"The Lord Our God Alone" . . *Winchester*

The Lord our God alone is strong;
His hands build not for one brief day.
His wondrous works, through ages long,
His wisdom and His power display.

His mountains lift their solemn forms,
To watch in silence o'er the land;
The rolling ocean, rocked with storms,
Sleeps in the hollow of His hand.

Beyond the heavens He sits alone,
The universe obeys His nod;
The lightning-rifts disclose His throne,
And thunders voice the name of God.

Thou sovereign God, receive the gift
Thy willing servants offer thee;
Accept the prayers that thousands lift,
And let these halls Thy temple be.

And let those learn, who here shall meet,
True wisdom is with reverence crowned,
And science walks with humble feet
To seek the God that faith hath found.
Amen.

THE COLLEGE CREED

I believe in the inspiration of the Bible, both the Old and New Testaments; the creation of man by the direct act of God; the incarnation and virgin birth of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ; His identification as the Son of God; His vicarious atonement for the sins of mankind by the shedding of His blood on the cross; the resurrection of His body from the tomb; His power to save men from sin; the new birth through the regeneration by the Holy Spirit; and the gift of eternal life by the grace of God.

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Chanted)

ANTHEM—"Hallelujah Chorus" from Mount of Olives . . . *Beethoven*

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON

OFFERTORY—"Pastoral Scene" *Ludewich*

ANTHEM—"The Cherubic Hymn" *Gretchaninoff*

SERMON Rev. Will H. Houghton, D.D.

RECESSIONAL HYMN—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name", *Perronet*

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name!
Let angels prostrate fall;
Bring forth the royal diadem,
And crown Him Lord of all.

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,
Ye ransomed of the fall;
Hail Him who saves you by His grace,
And crown Him Lord of all.

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget
The wormwood and the gall,
Go, spread your trophies at His feet,
And crown Him Lord of all.

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe,
On this terrestrial ball,
To Him all majesty ascribe,
And crown Him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng
We at His feet may fall;
We'll join the everlasting song,
And crown Him Lord of all.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE—"Alla Marcia in D" *Hackett*

You are cordially invited to attend the following special
Commencement features:

SUNDAY, MAY 31

- 4:00 p. m. Vespers
Margaret Mack Auditorium
- 7:30 p. m. Ministerial Student Sermon Contest
Margaret Mack Auditorium

MONDAY, JUNE 1

- 10:00 a. m. Violin, Reading, Piano, Organ Contests
Margaret Mack Auditorium
- 2:00 p. m. Declamation, Voice, Original Oration Contests
The Chapel
- 8:00 p. m. Concert by the Departments of Music
Margaret Mack Auditorium

TUESDAY, JUNE 2

- 10:30 a. m. Program in Honor of Visiting Alumni
The Chapel
- 8:00 p. m. Shakespeare's **King Henry V**
Margaret Mack Auditorium

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3

- 10:00 a. m. Convocation
Margaret Mack Auditorium